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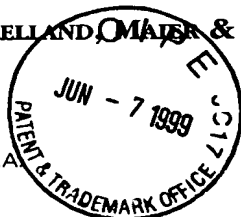
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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DIAGNOSIS
AND CONTROL OF MACHINES USING
CONNECTION AND CONNECTIONLESS
MODES OF COMMUNICATION

Sir:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING and REPLY BRIEF (in triplicate)

Our check in the amount of **\$ 260.00** is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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Applicant's representative hereby respectfully requests that an Oral Hearing be scheduled in the above-identified application.

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